

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION  
No. 5:20-CV-539-D

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
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Plaintiff,                 )  
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v.                            )                           **ORDER**  
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\$115,413 IN U.S. CURRENCY, )  
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Defendant.                 )

On May 21, 2021, Ramon L. Lyon (“Lyon” or “claimant”) moved to dismiss plaintiff’s amended complaint for forfeiture [D.E. 25] and filed a memorandum in support [D.E. 25-1]. On July 12, 2021, plaintiff responded in opposition [D.E. 28]. On July 21, 2021, claimant replied [D.E. 29]. On August 23, 2021, with the court’s permission [D.E. 31], plaintiff filed a surreply [D.E. 30-2].

Having reviewed the amended complaint, the motion, the briefs, and the governing law, the court DENIES claimant’s motion to dismiss [D.E. 25].

SO ORDERED. This 18 day of November, 2021.

  
JAMES C. DEVER III  
United States District Judge